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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Re: Patent Application of Brad A. Armstrong  
Applicant's reference F28  
Filed: 06/26/01 Serial No.: 09/893,292

Title: IMAGE CONTROLLER

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Examiner: D. Chow Group Art Unit: 2673

Dear Sir:

Telephone Interview Summary:

On April 15, 2004 Applicant Brad A. Armstrong telephoned Examiner D. Chow regarding the instant Application and the restriction requirement proposed in the

informal fax communication from the Examiner dated March 17, 2004.

Discussed and agreed to was that the Examiner had previously detailed the patentably distinct species using wording describing features and that the March 17, 2004 proposal only used drawing figures arranged in groups for the definition of the patentably distinct species.

Applicant stated that the distinct species could not be clearly ascertained from the drawings as proposed in the March 17 2004 fax. Applicant explained that on June 18, 2003 a Preliminary Amendment was filed wherein on pages 99-105 the patently distinct species were clearly set out in words as Applicant and the Examiner had agreed to in several telephone interviews prior to June 18, 2003.

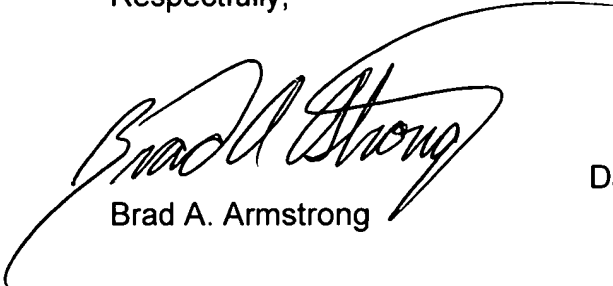
Applicant explained that the species descriptions on pages 99-105 of the June 18, 2003 Amendment were the same as what the Examiner had proposed and or agreed to in a number of prior telephone discussions.

In the April 15, 2004 interview the Examiner agreed with Applicant that the species descriptions agreed to before June 18, 2003 could be used instead of the figure descriptions of the March 17, 2004 proposal. The Examiner stated he would again review those Group definitions reserving the right to make some changes to that described in the June 18, 2003 Preliminary Amendment on pages 99-105.

The Examiner is invited to please telephone Applicant regarding any matter which Applicant may be of assistance.

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Respectfully,



Brad A. Armstrong

Date: April 23, 2004